

LION ATTACKED HER.

Lady Trainer In Jacksonville Has Fierce Experience With Her Pet (Times-Union.)

An attack by a lion upon Madam D'Orsey, one of the Bostock lady trainers, during her performance last night about 9:30 o'clock, almost terminated seriously. While endeavoring to persuade Spitfire, one of the lions of the group, to mount a pedestal, Madam D'Orsey's back was turned upon the other lions when one of them, Nero, a Nubian male lion, unexpectedly sprang upon her. The madam at that moment turned and raised her arm to shield her face. Nero's right paw struck the lady's right hand, inflicting a fearful gash across the back of the member. With the blood spurting from the wound she drove the now infuriated animal back to his seat and hurried out of the arena, returning a moment afterward with the injured hand bandaged with a handkerchief snatched from an arena attendant. She completed the act and bowed in acknowledgement of the applause of the large audience, but in retiring from the arena she fell back in a dead faint in the arms of Madam Morelli, who had rushed to the rear of the big cage on hearing the cry of alarm uttered from the audience. Dr. James Hardy Pittman was at once telephoned for, responding immediately, and took several stitches in the lady's hand and after making a thorough examination of the wound expressed his opinion that in all probability there would be no septic poisoning intervening.

Public Speaker Interrupted

Public speakers are frequently interrupted by people coughing. This would not happen if Foley's Honey and Tar were taken, as it cures coughs and colds and prevents pneumonia and consumption. The genuine contains no opiates and is in a yellow package. Suwannee Drug Company. dec-dw

Our genial friend, Mr. G. F. Hadcock, living southeast of the city, made The Democrat a Christmas present of two of the largest turnips that have ever been brought to this office. They weighed, respectively, six and one-half and seven pounds; were crisp and brittle as any early spring turnip, and smooth and pretty. They were of the white purple variety, and the seed were planted the first day of September. He has our thanks for this pleasing remembrance. He also moved his subscription to the Weekly Democrat up a year.

The man who blows his own horn is seldom applauded.

Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth blood poison, and the fifth stomach and liver trouble; but none of them helped me; so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed to cure blood poison, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, by Barclay & Groover druggists, 50c. dec-dw

Transgressors should be made to pay a road tax.

VETERANS DON'T WANT IT

Hobson's Bill to Pension Confederate Veterans Not Approved in Alabama.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 21.—Camp Hardee, United Confederate Veterans of this city, today by unanimous vote, went on record in opposition to the bill introduced by Congressman Hobson, providing for pensioning Confederate soldiers by the federal government.

The resolution concludes by saying, "while we appreciate the good intentions of the distinguished gentleman we feel assured no such bill could ever become law. The offering of such a bill in Congress would result in reopening wounds long healed and engendering bitterness long since abandoned."

A Real Wonderland.

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine, that saved his life and completely cured him" Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles by Barclay & Groover druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. dev-dw

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OVERTURES FOR PEACE

NEITHER WILLIAMS NOR DeARMOND WILL TAKE INITIATIVE

BUT FRIENDS OF BOTH ARE BUSY

And It Is Thought That the Two Democratic Leaders Will Make Friends

Washington, Dec. 20.—Yesterday's encounter between Mr. John Sharpe Williams of Mississippi and Mr. DeArmond of Missouri, on the floor of the house of representatives, had no aftermath today, but friends of each traveled back and forth between the camps of the minority leader and the leader of the minority opposition, waving boughs of peace. It is understood, however, that they acted out of their own friendliness and of their own volition, not by authorization of the combatants. Rumors of the likelihood of a challenge to a duel floated about the capitol today, but investigation showed them purely fanciful. Mr. DeArmond's attitude is stated to be this:

He had no mind either to prolong the controversy nor make the first move toward a reconciliation. That Mr. Williams was the aggressor in having intimated that he was a falsifier and in having struck the first blow, and therefore that peace overtures, if any there are to be, should originate on Mr. Williams' side of the line.

Mr. Williams is understood to believe himself to be in the right. It is contended in his behalf that he suffered Mr. DeArmond to question his truthfulness and sought to turn his wrath aside; then suggested a less public place to pursue the discussion, and when this was ignored held himself in check until Mr. DeArmond had a second time cast at him the lie. For the sake of many things he does not desire to continue this unpleasantness, neither does he feel that an amend is due from him until the first plank to bridge the breach has been laid down by the gentleman from Missouri.

Notwithstanding the exact opposition of these two views, it is predicted by common friends that the two distinguished Democrats will yet clasp hands and forget, if not forgive.

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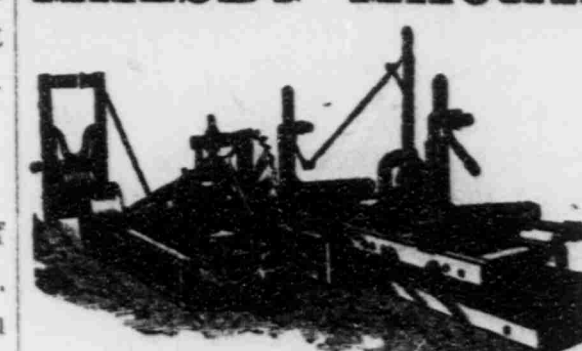
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